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## THE MARKET

## Fort Lot

New York Historical Manuscripts, p. 15 1670

Proposal to build a new fort in the market where the bell hangs, if Carr will grant the land.

Court House Lot

Pennsylvania Land Office "Bound Volume" #23, pp. 62-63 1689

Warrant Register entry:

Whereas the creditt reputation and advantage of a Town or City is its being well furnished with Good Substantial able and wise Inhabitants who are both capable and willing to promote the Interest thereof and being very desirous of advancing what in us lie the Town of New Castle on Delaware River have regulated the square of the town afsd in manner vizt: first that there be layd out to the Courthouse 50 foot in Breadth fronting the Street going from the River to the Kings Road by Edward Blacks two lots to the South East thereof is to contain each in front or breadth 60 foot the 55 foot which remains between the said Lott & the back part of the Lotts fronting on the River to be left for a street going into the Markett Place and the Northwest side of the 50 foot

belonging to the Courthouse to be two Lotts each containing 65 foot in front and the 60 foot between the said Lotts & Ambrose Bakers to be left for a street all which front of the four Lotts & Lott of the Court House being 300 foot is to be layd out in a direct line from the corner of Robert Evanses Lott to the corner of Ambrose Bakers Lott the streets leading to the Market place only intervening each lott to extend back so as the South Easternmost Lott on the South East Side thereof being 150 foot Long a line drawn aright angle therefrom may enclose the other Lotts and be bounded to the back parts thereof each Lott the Courthouse Lott excepted to yield & pay the Propr & his heirs & asss as a guitrent or acknowledgement thereof yearly & every year five English Silver Shillings on the value thereof in coin current the regulation of the other part of the Square or Markett Place is referred to somother opportunity given at Philadelphia the 4th of 7ber 1689.